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In re application of:

TATSUYA KAWAKAMI

Application No.: 10/710,610

Filed: July 23, 2004

For: SHIFT CONTROL DEVICE FOR A

BICYCLE TRANSMISSION

Examiner: Unassigned

Art Unit: 3682

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

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Commissioner:

Pursuant to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted dated September 8, 2004, enclosed are the following to be made of record in the above-identified application:

- 1) copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Application;
- 2) executed Declaration;
- 3) Power of Attorney by Assignee; and
- 4) Certificate Under 37 CFR 3.73(b) with attached copy of assignment(s).

Form PTO-2038 authorizing credit card payment for the amount of \$130.00 to cover the Surcharge is enclosed. This Transmittal Letter is submitted in duplicate.

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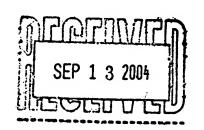
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Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
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